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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
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Re: WT Docket No. 05-62

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On July 19, 2005, representatives for licensees affected by the Commission's proposed changes to the 896-901/935-940 MHz (900 MHz) band met with the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau (WTB) staff to discuss their concerns with the FCC's proposals in the above-captioned proceeding.

Industry participants at this meeting were Jill Lyon (United Telecom Council), Tom Keller (Association of American Railroads), Tim Totten (United Parcel Service), Ken Keane (representing MRFAC, Inc.) Katherine Lucas (representing American Petroleum Institute) and myself (representing United Parcel Service). Attending from the WTB were Katherine Harris (Mobility Division), Michael Connelly (Mobility Division), Herb Zeiler (Public Safety and Critical Infrastructure Division) and Erik Salovaara (Auctions and Spectrum Access Division).

During the meeting, the industry representatives reiterated the concerns initially expressed in their jointly filed comments in this proceeding.¹ In particular, they emphasized that the incumbent users of the 900 MHz business and industrial channels operate critically important communications systems that deserve both interference protection and sufficient spectrum reserves for future expansion and construction.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §1.1206(b)(2), one copy of this letter is being filed electronically for inclusion in the public record of this proceeding. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact me at the above number.

¹ See *Joint Comments, Association of American Railroads, American Petroleum Institute, MRFAC, Inc., National Association of Manufacturers, United Telecom Council*, WT Docket No. 05-62 (May 18, 2005).

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Respectfully submitted,

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